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PATENT APPLICATION

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Yukio TOZAWA, et al.

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 24, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

**II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS**

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

OK TO ENTER AF 7-1-04